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Quarters at Thekadi, Periyar Project

Approving an estimate of Rs. 810 for constructing a lineman's —.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

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Read—the following papers :—

I

Letter—from J. H. Medlicott, Esq., Superintending Engineer, VI Circle.
To—the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
Dated—Trichinopoly, the 25th November 1908.
No.—679-C.E.

With reference to G.O., No. 186 I., dated 6th May 1908, I have the honour to forward herewith for your approval and sanction of Government, an estimate amounting to Rs. 630 for constructing a lineman's quarters at Thekadi.

The design is a very simple one and calls for no special remarks. The question of the site of the proposed quarters is under correspondence with the Executive Engineer, Madura division. The rates entered in the estimate are the same as those sanctioned for works in the locality.

II

Letter—from H. E. Clerk, Esq., Superintending Engineer, VI Circle.
To—the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
Dated—Trichinopoly, the 10th December 1908.
No.—706-C.E.

In continuation of this office No. 679-C.E., dated 25th November 1908, forwarding an estimate amounting to Rs. 630 for constructing a lineman's quarters at Thekadi, I have the honour to report that the Executive Engineer, Madura division, expected the quarters to be built in the same enclosure as the Hospital and Hospital Assistant's quarters. My predecessor considered it inadvisable that this should be done. Mr. deChazal states that every building at Thekadi must be protected by an elephant trench, and suggests that the lineman's quarters should be built within the present sluice house enclosure or that a separate one be made for the lineman. I am unable at present to express an opinion on this point, but will decide after inspecting the site which I hope to do before the end of the month.

2. In the meantime I request that Rs. 80, which would be the approximate cost of making a separate enclosure, may be added to the estimate.

ENCLOSURE.

Report to accompany the estimate for constructing quarters for a lineman.

	RS.
Amount of estimate	630

To supervise the telephone line recently erected between Periyár and Kumili a lineman is employed. He has no quarters at present and occupies one of the rooms of a godown at Thekadi. It is now proposed to build one permanently at Thekadi inside the enclosure which will be guarded by an elephant trench and will accommodate the Hospital Assistant and Hospital. This estimate was called for by Government in G.O., No. 186 I., dated 6th May 1908. Apart from the cook-room, out of 96 square feet provided, 20 square feet are intended to keep his stores and only 76 square feet for his occupation.

The rates are as in current use in the locality.

14th November 1908.

A. R. DE CHAZAL,
Executive Engineer, Madura division.

III

Note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

The estimate of Rs. 810 for constructing a lineman's quarters at Thekadi, Periyár project, may be approved, and returned to the Superintending Engineer for disposal with reference to Chief Engineer's P.W.D. Memorandum No. 896-C., dated 7th February 1908.

10th February 1909.

C. A. SMITH,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Order—No. 65 I., dated 16th February 1909.

The recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation is approved, and the estimate for the work, in question, will be returned to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, for disposal.

(True Extract.)

C. A. SMITH,
Joint Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.,
Irrigation Branch.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
,, Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, with plans and estimate.
,, Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Forwarded to the

(By Order.)

Deputy Registrar.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
(IRRIGATION BRANCH).

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 65 I., DATED 16TH FEBRUARY 1909.

[SUBJECT.—*Estimate of Rs.* 630 *for constructing a lineman's quarters at Thekadi, Periyar system.*]

From the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, dated 25*th November* 1908, *No.* 679 *C.E.*

Under Secretary—

At the instance of the Director-General of Telegraphs, an estimate was called for in G.O., No. 186 I., dated 6th May 1908, for quarters for a lineman employed at Thekadi to look after the telephone line established from Periyar to Kumili *viâ* Thekadi, on the sanction given in G.O., No. 736 I., dated 5th July 1906. The Superintending Engineer has accordingly submitted an estimate for Rs. 630, based on the rates obtaining in the locality.

2. According to India's Resolution No. 1255 C.W.T., dated 8th December 1899, the accommodation for a lineman should be what is provided for a native constable and for each unit of quarters the Telegraph Department should be charged half-yearly a rent of Rs. 1–4–0 per month. An extra accommodation of 20 superficial feet should be provided free of charge for stores and tools.

3. In the type design for Police huts—*vide* G.O., No. 1778 W., dated 24th August 1906, the following accommodation is provided :—

	SQ. FT.
Room 12′ × 8′ ...	96
Cook room 12′ 9″ × 4′ ...	51
Verandah 9′ 4½″ × 4′ ...	37½
Total ...	184½

Latrine 4′ × 3′ 6″.
Compound wall.

4. The Superintending Engineer's estimate for lineman's quarters allows—

	SQ. FT.
Room 12′ × 8′ ...	96
Cooking room 12″ × 5″ ...	60
Verandah 12′ × 6′ ...	72
Total ...	228

Deducting 20 square feet for stores and tools, the accommodation provided is 208 square feet against 184½ square feet, allotted for a Police constable. Latrine accommodation and compound wall have not, however, been provided for the lineman's quarters.

5. Each hut for a Police constable according to the type estimate costs about Rs. 575/2 = 287½, but the Superintending Engineer's estimate amounts to Rs. 630. The excess is chiefly due to the provision of corrugated iron roof, instead of a tiled roof as in the Police huts.

6. Orders are requested to approve the estimate and return it to the Superintending Engineer for sanction.

S.D.
7-12-08.

May be approved. The Government of India's order is only meant to be followed in a general sense, accommodation for police can be altered at any time at the Local Government's discretion.

T. W. S. SMYTH.
8-12-08.

Check estimate.

C. A. SMITH.
11-12-08.

The estimate has been checked and the amount increased from Rs. 630 to Rs. 710 by including the cost of cutting elephant trench around the building as requested by the Superintending Engineer, in his letter No. 706 C.E., dated 10th December 1908. The rates allowed in the estimate may be accepted as the schedule of rates for all the divisions in the circle which are stated to be under revision have not yet been received.

M.V.
4-2-09.

G.E.B.
5-2-09.

Under Secretary—

A draft order on the estimate is submitted for approval.

T.S.R.
8-2-09.

M.A.
8-2-09.

T.W.S.S.
9-2-09.

C.A.S.
10-2-09.

[Issued as G.O., No. 65 I., dated 16th February 1909.]

R.No 8055.

SUBJECT.— Estimate of Rs 810 for constg a lineman's shed at Itekady, Periyar Project.

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From the Supg Engr: VI Circle, dt 25-11-08, No 679 C.E.
from — do — , dt 10-12-08, No 706 C.E.

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Note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

The estimate of Rs 810 for constructing a lineman's quarters at Itekadi, Periyar Project, may be approved, and returned to the Supg: Engr: for disposal with reference to E.W's Memo No 896C dt 7.2.08.

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Order. No 65 I of 16-2-09

The recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation is approved and the estimate for the work, in question, will be

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returned to the Supg. Engr. VI Circle, for disposal.

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